

Marked-up copy of the claims as amended:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please amend the claims as follows:

30 (Amended). The catheter of Claim [30] 29 wherein the distal end of the third tube extends beyond the distal ends of the first and second tubes.

31 (Amended). The catheter of Claim [30] 29 wherein the distal end of the second tube is coterminous with the distal end of the third tube, both of which extend beyond the distal end of the first tube.

32 (Amended). The catheter of Claim [30] 29 wherein the lumen of the first elongated tube has an inside diameter less than twice the outside diameter of the treating element.

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33 (Amended). The catheter of Claim [30] 29 wherein the first elongated tube includes an internal barrier to block the passage of the treating element out of the first tube.

37 (Amended). The catheter of Claim [31]35 wherein the distal end of the [outer] third tube tapers to a narrow, flexible atraumatic tip.